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Dear parents/carers,

Thank you to all of the parents/carers who have already returned their slips to confirm attendance at the **Year Six Robinwood** residential in September.

We are heavily **subsidising** the cost of the visit to make it more **affordable** for you. The **cost to you** works out at **£160** per child. The overall cost is around £350 per child but school is funding the remaining £190.

A **payment plan** is now live within the **SchoolMoney** system. To spread the cost, you could choose to pay **£20 per month** over the next **eight months**. If you're able to, you may choose to pay off the entire balance in one go. If you have any concerns around the affordability of the visit, please do not hesitate to contact the school office and we will endeavour to help you even further if we can.

By going in **September**, the weather will be warmer than in **January** and the children are more likely to be able to take part in all of the available activities. Also, we are keen for the visit to take place at the **start of the school year** so the Year Six staff team will have the chance to really get to know the children and build up a strong relationship with them.

As you know, we have very **high expectations** of children and need to be confident that they will be able to behave **safely** and **appropriately** when they are offsite. If we have any doubts about conduct in the build up to or during the visit, we reserve the right to reconsider your child's place. As always, we plan to have four members of school staff accompany the children on the visit.

Further information for the visit, including an **itinerary** and **equipment list**, will be shared in due course. We will also have a **parent information** session in the Summer Term so you know what to expect and to provide you with an opportunity to ask any questions.

Mr Routledge

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